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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is a(n): ☒ Utility ( ) Design  
☒ original patent application,  
☐ continuation-in-part application

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TITLE: Surface With Tethered Polymeric Species For Binding Biomolecules

Enclosed are:

☒ The Declaration and Power of Attorney. ( ) signed ☒ unsigned or partially signed  
☒ 4 sheets of drawings (one set) ( ) Associate Power of Attorney  
☐ Form PTO-1449 ☒ Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449  
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| TOTAL CLAIMS   | 48 — 20             | 28                  | X \$18      | \$ 504        |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS                                   | 4 — 3               | 1                   | X \$84      | \$ 84         |
| ANY MULTIPLE<br>DEPENDENT CLAIMS                     | 0                   |                     | \$280       | \$ 0          |
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